



Reeve named student regent for university

Mary Reeve, originally from Dillingham and a student at the University of Alaska Anchorage, was recently appointed by Gov. Steve Cowper as student regent for the University of Alaska.

As a secondary education major with an emphasis in Alaska Native Studies, Reeve was selected from a group of five nominees submitted to the governor.

Reeve, 36, was appointed as student regent Oct. 23.

Jack "Buddy" Van Hatten resigned as regent in September, so Reeve was appointed to finish the term which expires in May 1991.

From the University of Alaska Southeast, Tlingit Lance Bousley served as the first minority student regent from 1986 to 1987. Reeve is the first female minority to take the office.

Reeve has completed two internships which included working as a research planner for the Rural Alaska Community Action Program and as a summer intern doing constituency casework in Washington, D.C., for Sen. Ted Stevens, R-Alaska.

During the summer internship Reeve worked with 52 others in the Minority Leadership Internship Program addressing educational concerns and goals at a national level.

As student regent, Reeve plans to address issues such as excellence in teaching, tuition increases, affordable child care and a multi-cultural campus environment.